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Contract

## **2025-27 Mental Health Support for Refugees and Asylum Seekers in West Yorkshire**

NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-004225

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04dce9

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board

White Rose House, West Parade

Wakefield

WF1 1LT

#### **Contact**

Stephanie Jones

#### **Email**

[wyicb-kirk.procurement@nhs.net](mailto:wyicb-kirk.procurement@nhs.net)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKE4 - West Yorkshire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.westyorkshire.icb.nhs.uk/>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Health

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1) Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1) Title**

2025-27 Mental Health Support for Refugees and Asylum Seekers in West Yorkshire

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85100000 - Health services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

Providing a specialist tailored mental health support service to refugees and asylum seekers who have experienced trauma and violence.

**II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

**II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £534,492

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKE4 - West Yorkshire

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The Contract Authority; NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board intends to award a contract to an existing provider following Direct Award Process C. The authority is publishing this notice in Find a Tender in accordance with the NHS Provider Selection Regime.

Providing a specialist tailored mental health support service to refugees and asylum seekers who have experienced trauma and violence across Calderdale, Kirklees, Leeds and Wakefield. Service is to be awarded for the period 01/04/2025 - 31/03/2027. The lifetime value of this award would be £534,492.00.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Cost criterion - Name: the existing provider is satisfying the contract and will likely satisfy the proposed contract to a sufficient standard / Weighting: 100

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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## Section IV. Procedure

### IV.1) Description

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award. The publication of this notice marks the start of the Standstill Period. Representations by providers must be made to the relevant authority by Wednesday 19th February 2025. This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award a contract under the PSR.'

#### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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## Section V. Award of contract

### Contract No

1

### Title

2025-27 Mental Health Support for Refugees and Asylum Seekers in West Yorkshire

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

#### V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

12 January 2025

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Solace Surviving Exile and Persecution

Manor House, 1 Manor Street

Leeds

LS7 1PZ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE42 - Leeds

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £534,492

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

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Written representations should be sent to [wyicb-kirk.procurement@nhs.net](mailto:wyicb-kirk.procurement@nhs.net)

A service review was undertaken including a narrative assessment of the performance of the incumbent provider against the key criteria. All key criteria were considered with equal importance and the review demonstrated that the provider was both satisfying the existing contract and likely to satisfy the new contract.

Decision making report authored by Commissioning Managers from Kirklees, Calderdale, Leeds and Wakefield and Contract Manager and agreed by:

Director of Improvement Internal Decision Forum, 24/12/2024

Primary Care Operational Group Part 2, 22/01/2025 and Senior Leadership Team, 27/01/2025

Directorate Approval 03/02/25

Executive Management Team 12/01/25

No conflicts of interest were declared by the authors of the report or any member agreeing the report.

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

WYICB PSR Review Panel,

White Rose House

Wakefield

WF1 1LT

Country

United Kingdom

**VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

NHS England Independent Patient Choice and Procurement Panel,

London

SE1 8UG

Country

United Kingdom